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It was outrageously wrong for Governor BRADLEY to call out the militia to preserve order in Louisville on the request of Judge TONEY, but it is eminently proper for "Beauty" BECKHAM to call out the militia in Frankfort on the request of Judge MOORE. What a very funny world we live in!

THE Gold Standard in Japan has proved a success. An official report on this subject by the Minister of Finance, Count MATSUKATA, has just reached Washington, and it states in explicit terms that the experiment has been extremely satisfactory, both in its relations to the internal and foreign trade, and especially in its relations to labor, the permanent standard of value and the avoidance of fluctuations which it furnishes. The report says that, leaving out of account the questions concerning the effect on foreign trade, it can be very clearly seen that prices, since the adoption of the Gold Standard, have kept comparatively even, with fluctuations remarkably slight and the relations between the claims of the creditor and the liability of the debtor less subject to sudden and unexpected changes, and as a result the way has opened for the steady and orderly growth of commerce and industry.

THE shouts of gladness with which the election of McKINLEY was heralded were not mistakes. That the prosperity which followed the election, the restoration of a Protective Tariff and the rejection of the silver proposition has been such as to enable people to reduce their indebtedness is well evidenced by the following table showing the mortgages filed and released in each year from 1892 to 1898 in Mr. BRYAN'S own state, Nebraska. It will be observed that in each year prior to 1896 the mortgages filed far exceeded those released, while in 1897 and 1898 the mortgages released exceeded those filed from 25 to 33%. These conditions are Nebraska's refutation of Bryanism and its doctrines. They are the farmer's reply to demagogism which attempted to mislead him in 1896, and wants to do it again in the present and coming campaign, though the issues and arguments are slightly retouched.

The following table shows the mortgages filed and released in Nebraska in each year from 1892 to 1898:

	Filed.	Released.
1892	\$38,847,033	\$31,912,276
1893	34,001,318	26,178,746
1894	31,080,054	26,438,080
1895	25,733,365	22,648,917
1896	16,474,906	18,213,382
1897	15,630,721	22,215,739
1898	21,363,855	27,498,070

Georgetown will hold a Tobacco Fair May 19th.

The venerable T. K. Ricketts is seriously ill at his home on Sutton street.

For \$150,000 a New Orleans man bought 1,000,000 tickets to the Paris Exposition and hopes to net \$100,000 on the deal.

Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Campbell, among Aberdeen's oldest and most respected residents, celebrated their golden wedding anniversary this week.

The "Country Visitor" appeared at the Opera-house last night. There may be worse things on the road, but up to the present time none have struck Maysville.

West Union Oddfellows are trying to arrange for a reunion of all the Oddfellows and Rebekahs in Adams county, O., to be held in April, in honor of the anniversary of the Order.

The case of William Hukill vs. the Agricultural Bank of Paris, in which the plaintiff sues for \$2,500 damages sustained by falling into a cellar while the new bank building was in course of construction, has been on trial the past few days in the Bourbon Circuit Court.

Miss Sue Ford of Paris who has been attending the Seagriff Bible and Training School at Kansas City for two years, has been accepted by the Women's Board of Foreign Missions of the M. E. Church, South, as a Missionary. The Board will meet on May 24th at Paris, Texas, when Miss Ford will be assigned her work, which will probably be in Cuba or Mexico.

A Good Cough Medicine For Children.
"I have no hesitancy in recommending Chamberlain's Cough Remedy," says F. P. Moran, a well known and popular baker, of Petersburg, Va. "We have given it to our children when troubled with bad coughs, also whooping cough, and it has always given satisfaction. It is recommended to me by a druggist as the best cough medicine for children as it contained no opium or other harmful drugs." It is sold by J. Jas. Wood & Son.

Dyas S. Clinger has been re-elected Superintendent of the Manchester Schools.

Mrs. Eliza McCutchen, formerly Miss Eliza Campbell, born at Concord in 1836, died recently at Manchester.

J. W. Kinsley, Past Supreme Master Workman of the Ancient Order of United Workmen, will make an address at the Lodge room of the local Order Saturday, March 24th, at 7:30 p. m.

Mrs. C. E. Van Dusen, of Kilbourn, Wis., was afflicted with stomach trouble and constipation for a long time. She says, "I have tried many preparations but none have done me the good that Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets have." These Tablets are for sale at J. Jas. Wood & Son's drug store. Price, 25 cents. Samples free.

"QUO VADIS."

We have too few such plays as "Quo Vadis," which will be seen for the first time in Maysville at Washington Opera-house on next Saturday night. "Quo Vadis" is a sermon in varied speech and illustrated by art and music. Let no person who has read the book with profit shun the play. For the first time in the history of the stage Ministers of all denominations and their families have patronized the theater to witness this really wonderful dramatic story, and their universal opinion has been that it was both good for them and good for their congregation.

"DEWEY, THE HERO OF MANILA."

"Dewey, the Hero of Manila," a melodrama in seven acts, founded on scenes and incidents of the late War with Spain, is not a cheap melodrama, but a contribution to dramatic literature worthy of its glorious theme. In its history and romance, love and intrigue, American heroism and Spanish treachery are so skillfully interwoven and so dramatically depicted that from the orchestra chairs to the topmost seat in the gallery the entire audience sits spellbound until the final curtain falls. It is an American play by an American author, Mr. John A. Frazier, who is a dramatic author of note. The company carries special scenery for every act and not a stitch of the house scenery is used. At the Washington Opera-house one night, Tuesday, March 27th. Seats on sale Monday morning at Nelson's.

Ecema Cured by B. B. B.—Sample Bottle Free.

Have you itching, burning, scaly, crusted or pimply skin, or containing pus or watery fluid, skin red and an itching heat, with or without sores on legs, arms, hands, neck or face? Then take B. B. B., which will cure, leaving the skin free from blemishes, sores, eczema or itching of any kind.

Any form of eczema is due to diseased blood. Get the diseased blood out with B. B. B. and you are cured. B. B. B. is perfectly safe to take by old or young, and acts as a fine tonic, and cures what aches, washes and other remedies fail. Children are very frequently afflicted with eczema. Sore discharge and a yellow crust forms upon the skin. Give the child mild doses of B. B. B. and the sores will soon heal.

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People's Column

No Charge!

Advertisements under the headings of "Help Wanted," "Lost" and "Found," and not exceeding three lines in length, are FREE to all.

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WANTED—HELP—Apply at 41 West Third Street.

WANTED—WHITE GIRL—A nurse girl, white, Apply to Mrs. FRANKEL, 322 Market street.

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WANTED—WORK—Work of any kind, by a competent person. Address: FRANK GORMAN, Box 22, City.

WANTED—WORK—Positions as cook and house-girl. Apply to MARY WHALEY, Ward's Hill.

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For Rent.

Advertisements under this heading, not exceeding five lines, 10 cents each insertion, or 50 cents a week.

FOR RENT—STORE—In Ziegler's Brick West second street. Apply to JOHN G. ZWIGART.

FOR RENT—RESIDENCE, etc.—Residence and store, corner second and Poplar streets; will rent as a whole or separately. Apply to JOHN G. ZWIGART.

FOR RENT—HOUSE—Good House with garden, one and one-half acres, and one acre vineyard of 100 trees. Apply to GEORGE KREUTZ, Maysville.

For Sale.

Advertisements under this heading, not exceeding five lines, 10 cents each insertion, or 50 cents a week.

FOR SALE—MACHINE—Automatic "Singer" Sewing Machine; has been in use only one month; cost \$50. Call at this office.

FOR SALE—FURNITURE—Household and Kitchen Furniture. Apply to Mrs. F. R. RAYSON, No. 5 East Fourth street. Want to sell before April 1st.

Lost.

Advertisements under this heading inserted free; but advertisers must furnish the copy.

LOST—MILK CAN—Saturday, March 17th, an eight-gallon Milk Can. Finder will please leave at G. W. Wallingford's grocery, or any information as to its discovery to any merchant in East Maysville. R. J. B. MARSHALL.

LOST—PURSE—On Wednesday, a Purse containing about \$5 in change. Reward if left at this office.

LOST—PUF—White Fox Shepherd Pup, two months old, yellow with white face. Return to Barkley's Shoe Store and get reward.

LOST—MUFFLER—Between Market and Wood streets, Sunday morning, a silk Muffler. Return to this office and receive reward.

LOST—DIAMOND STUD—Saturday morning, between East end of carline and Short street, on Court street, or on Third between Court and Short, a Diamond Stud. Liberal reward if returned to this office.

Found.

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NEWS IN KENTUCKY.

TAYLOR LEAVES.

His Departure Gives Rise to a Report That His Family Is Going to Move to Louisville.

Frankfort, Ky., March 24.—W. S. Taylor went to Louisville last night. It is said he went there to confer with Surveyor of the Port Barnett and Internal Revenue Collector Sapp and Lieut. Gov. John Marshall on their return from Washington.

There is an unconfirmed report that Mr. Taylor is preparing to move his family to Louisville. A part of his personal household effects was shipped to Louisville yesterday, and this gives the story credence in some quarters.

Troops Expecting a Call.

Barbourville, Ky., March 24.—Local military Company D, of which Capt. Hawn was deposed as commander because he recognized Beckham, are in full uniform and in close call of the armory, evidently expecting a call to Frankfort. While Lieut. Gibson will not say that his company is expecting a call, his men openly admit the fact.

No Evidence of Fraud.

Louisville, Ky., March 24.—J. Henry Sumner, white, and Melinda Parker, colored, were discharged on the charge of having sold tickets for an Indiana chance scheme. The woman confessed, but the judge held there was no evidence that the concern was fraudulent.

"Tamarac" Davis Free.

Frankfort, Ky., March 24.—Elijah "Tamarac" Davis, of Midway, Woodford county, was pardoned by Gov. Beckham. Davis was sent up for two years for manslaughter, having killed a Negro while acting as town marshal of Midway. He had only a few more weeks to serve.

Charged With Robbing Freight Cars.

Richmond, Ky., March 24.—John Moore and John Embry, colored, are in jail, charged with breaking into and robbing freight cars in the L. & N. yards in this city. Stolen goods were found in their possession. A gang of thieves has been operating here.

Shot His Little Sister.

Fulton, Ky., March 24.—Mary, the 9-year-old daughter of James Rucker, a farmer living near town, was instantly killed by her 14-year-old brother. The boy was preparing for a hunt, and the gun was accidentally discharged.

Smallpox Developed.

Bowling Green, Ky., March 24.—At Russellville, 30 miles below here, smallpox has developed, and a number of towns have quarantined against Russellville. The houses where the disease was found have been burned.

Will Sail for Paris.

Lexington, Ky., March 24.—Ex-Mayor J. Hull Davidson, who is to manage the American restaurant at the Paris exposition, will sail next week for France. He says the restaurant will be opened on April 15.

Youth Accidentally Shot.

Pineville, Ky., March 24.—William Brunsell, aged 15, accidentally shot himself through the thigh. He threw his coat on a chair, which discharged a pistol which was in the pocket of the coat.

Oil Found in Kentucky.

Monticello, Ky., March 24.—The Haskell company, of Pittsburgh, Pa., struck a fine pool of oil in their new well on the Baker farm. This is the best well yet struck in Wayne county.

Post Office at Irena.

Greenup, Ky., March 24.—A new post office has been established at Laurel Station, this county, to be called Irena. Squire George B. Miles has been appointed postmaster.

Two Men Arrested.

Columbia, Ky., March 24.—United States Marshals Hawkins and Thompson arrested Woody Henderson and Emmett Mann, charged with violating the internal revenue laws.

New Kentucky Post Office.

Washington, March 24.—A post office has been established at Gloria, Shelby county, Ky., with Wm. A. Hankins as postmaster.

DEAD IN A WELL.

A Woman Attempts to Rescue Her Little Child and Loses Her Own Life.

Rushville, Ill., March 24.—Mrs. Mark Sellers and her babe, 14 months old, were found dead in a well near this city. The baby was drowned and the mother, who was but 29 years old, had died from exposure. They were in the well eight hours before discovered.

The babe fell into the well, and the mother went to the rescue. Once in the well, she made a desperate struggle for life. The water was 18 inches deep, and with the babe in her arms, the mother attempted to scale the sides. Time and again she was near the top, when she fell back again. She removed her shoes and dress and tried again, only to fall, bruised and bleeding. When found her finger and toe nails were worn away and her hands cut to the bone. Her husband was away from home all day, and did not succeed in finding the bodies of his wife and child until late in the evening, when the neighbors went out to search for her.

Shooting in Chicago.

Chicago, March 24.—Ex-Alderman Wm. Lyman was shot during a political quarrel by ex-State Senator John F. O'Malley. O'Malley has been arrested. The shooting took place in O'Malley's saloon. Lyman received two bullets in his groin and may die.

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RAILWAY MATTERS.

EXTENSION ON LIMIT OF C. AND O. ROUND TRIP TICKETS.

Effective March 7 round trip tickets to all stations on the Cincinnati Division, and on Kinnickinnick Branch will be limited 11 days including date of sale.

RAISE IN RATES.

Effective February 15th, there will be a slight advance in round trip ticket rates on C. and O. Cincinnati \$2.50, limit 6 days including date of sale. Limit to other stations on Cincinnati Division two days including date of sale, except that tickets sold on Saturday are good returning on Monday.

W. W. WIKOFF, Agent.

HOMESEEKERS' EXCURSION VIA C. AND O.

On February 6th and 20th, March 6th and April 3d-17th, 1900, homeseekeers excursion tickets will be sold to points in the states of Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Idaho, Indian Territory, Iowa, Kansas, Louisiana, Michigan, Minnesota, Missouri, Montana, Nebraska, New Mexico, North Dakota, Oklahoma, Oregon, South Dakota, Texas, Utah, Washington, Wisconsin and Wyoming. Tickets will be good 21 days from date of sale, and stopover of fifteen days will be allowed after passenger reaches first homeseekeer point. For further information as to rates, time, etc., address T. A. Garrigan, S. E. P. A., Huntington, W. Va., or Agent.

HOMESEEKERS' EXCURSIONS.

On February 6th and 20th, March 6th and April 3d and 17th the Missouri Pacific Railway and Iron Mountain Route will have on sale round-trip homeseekeers' excursion tickets to points in Arizona, Arkansas, Colorado, Indian Territory, Idaho, Kansas, Louisiana, Missouri, Nebraska, New Mexico, Texas, Oklahoma, Utah, Wyoming and Oregon at rate of one fare plus \$2. Tickets good twenty-one days from date of sale, with stopover privileges on going trip to inspect lands allowing fifteen days to reach destination. Rates, land pamphlets and full particulars will be cheerfully furnished. A. A. Gallagher, D. P. A., 408 Vine street, Cincinnati, O.

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Onion Sets, white and yellow, pure Northern Seed Potatoes of all the desirable varieties, also the Seed Sweet Potatoes, the purest and best. All the above goods I can furnish Wholesale or Retail in quantities large or small and at prices that can't be met by any other house in the city. Persons wanting to buy any of the above named articles should see my stock and get my prices before buying. I can save you money on every article and at same time give you the very best.

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DIAMONDS, RUBIES, PEARLS and TURQUOIS

During the month of March every child under 12 years of age having its picture made at our studio will be presented with a beautiful gold ring set with either of the above precious stones. To prove the worth of these we have only to mention they are purchased from the reliable jewelry store of C. C. Cookey and every ring has Mr. Cookey's personal guarantee.
Remember this offer is for March only. Come either cloudy or bright days, as it makes no difference.

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